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SUBJECT: VISIT TO U.S. OF MEMBER BAHRAIN RULING FAMILY

REFERENCES: (A) MANAMA 2399, (B) STATE 270299

- 1. BAHRAINIS HAVE INFORMED US THAT SHEIKHA SABEECHA AND PARTY OF THREE (REF A) WILL ARRIVE KENNEDY AIRPORT ON NOVEMBER 29 REPEAT 29 VIA BOAC 501. THEY REQUESTED THAT APPROPRIATE COURTESIES--INCLUDING SPEEDY IMMIGRATION, CUSTOMS, AND LUGGAGE PROCESSING--BE PROVIDED PARTY UPON ARRIVAL. BAHRAINIS REPEATEDLY STRESSED THAT VISIT IS STRICTLY PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL, AND THAT THEREFORE GOB DESIRES NO OFFICIAL PROTOCOL ARRANGEMENTS AT ALL OTHER THAN AIRPORT FACILITATION FOR DURATION OF STAY IN U.S.
- 2. AS PER REF B, BAHRAINIS AGAIN PROMISED TO NOTIFY DEPARTMENT WHEN FURTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE RE REQUEST LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FOR SECURITY (REF A).

3. S/CPR IS ARRANGING FOR EXTENSION OF CUSTOMS COURTESIES. USUN MAY WISH TO CONTACT RECEPTION CENTER RE ADDITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS. BAHRAIN EMBASSY SAID THAT ABDULLAH ALSHEIKER (PHONETIC) OF THEIR UN MISSION IS CONTROL OFFICER FOR VISIT. CHRISTOPHER

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